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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
MASAYUKI YAMADA ) Examiner: Unassigned  
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 ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Application No.: Unassigned )  
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Filed: March 5, 1999 )  
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For: SPEECH SYNTHESIS ) March 5, 1999  
APPARATUS, CONTROL )  
METHOD THEREFOR, AND )  
COMPUTER-READABLE )  
MEMORY )



Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under  
37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under  
37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is  
directed to the following U.S. Applications:

<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>GROUP ART UNIT</u>
08/821,719	March 20, 1997	2741
09/038,898	March 12, 1998	2741

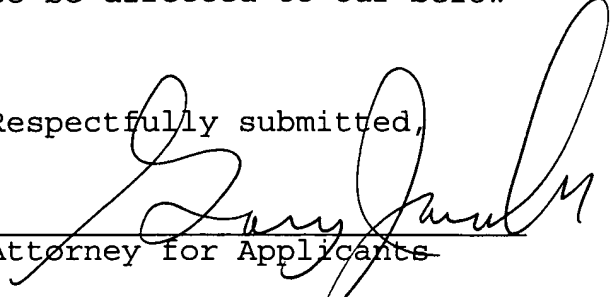
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no  
copies of the cited U.S. Applications are enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that the Examiner indicate the consideration of these applications in the first Office Action.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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